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Subject: Kansas Smoke Management Committee Meeting #2 Notice

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This email is sent on behalf of John W. Mitchell, Director of the Division of Environment, Kansas Department of Health and Environment.

Subject: Kansas Smoke Management Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

Continuing concerns about the impacts of burning in the Flint Hills region on air quality have prompted the Kansas Department of Health and Environment to organize the Kansas Smoke Management Advisory Committee. The Committee has begun the process of developing a Smoke Management Plan. You have been identified as an interested party, and we encourage you to attend and observe the second meeting of the Kansas Smoke Management Advisory Committee.

KDHE is reaching out to a diverse group of stakeholders to provide access to information about this meeting of the Kansas Smoke Management Advisory Committee. This group of diverse interests includes livestock producers and ranchers, members of the State Legislature, local governments, conservation groups, agribusiness organizations, K-State, fire protection agencies and other interested parties. There will be an opportunity at the end of the meeting for observers to ask questions and provide comments.

The second meeting of the Kansas Smoke Management Advisory Committee will be held on Tuesday, August 17, 2010. The meeting will start at 10:00 a.m. and end about noon. It will be held in Conference rooms A and B in the main building (see attached campus map) of the Flint Hills Technical College, 3301 W. 18th Ave. in Emporia. Click here for a map of the meeting location. An agenda for the meeting will follow later in a separate e-mail.

Please contact Doug Watson at (785) 296-0910 or dwatson@kdheks.gov if you plan to attend the meeting.

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